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REQUEST FOR DRAWING AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Approval is requested to amend FIGS. 2 and 7 as marked in red on the attached copies thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

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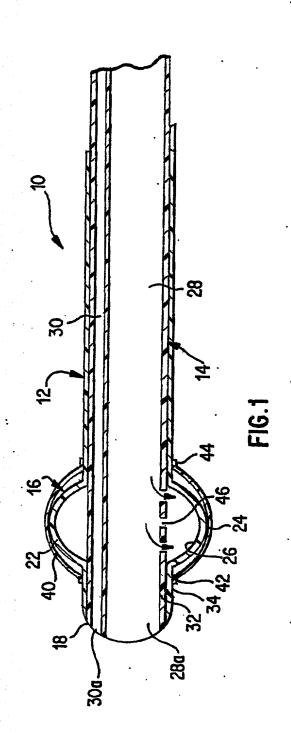
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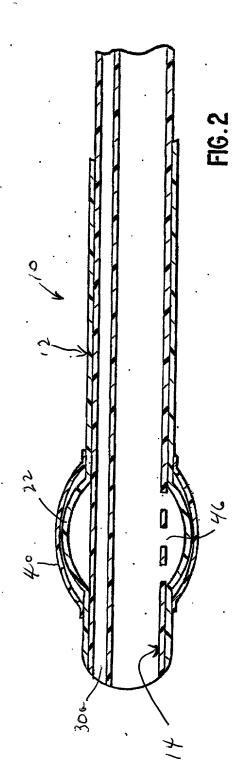
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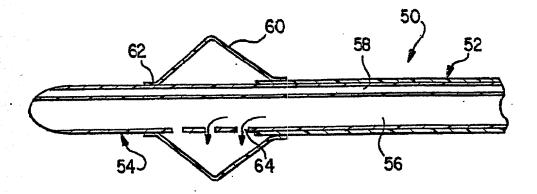


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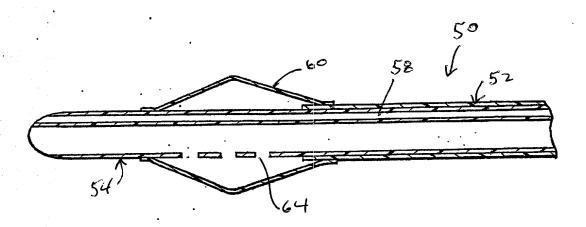


FIG. 7